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APPLES

McIntosh Apples now arriving. Crates at \$2.25, Wrapped Apples at \$2.50.

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Ginger Snap Biscuit, per lb. 20c.
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Good house, barn, hay shed, 4 grain bins, wash house,
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NOTICE

To Ratepayers of Municipal District of Marquis, No. 157

A representative will meet the Ratepayers of the Municipal District of Marquis, No. 157, at the following places, for the purpose of the collection of Taxes:

Monday and Tuesday, October 22 and 23, at the office of Royal Municipality, Vulcan.

Wednesday, October 24, Armada Store.

Thursday, October 25, Milo Store.

Saturday, October 27, East Arrowwood Consolidated School.

If it is impossible for you to be present, Phone R2612, and a personal visit will be made.

Municipal District of Marquis, No. 157

R. E. HOUSE, Secretary-Treasurer.

DANGER!

To Vulcan Parents and Children

Warning is given by the Contractors and Builders of the very great danger of accident and injury to children and others who might go about the new rink now in course of construction. It is better to safe than sorry.

Ring The Bell

On those old boots of yours. Step in and look over our Work or Dress Shoes. Do not forget foot comfort costs little and is worth much. See us about it.

VULCAN SHOE HOSPITAL
H. DAINES, Proprietor.

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AND

Clara Butt

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D.C. Jones

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VULCAN, ALBERTA

HOT SPRINGS HOTEL

BANFF, ALBERTA

This little hotel or sanitarium was built to serve those who found it necessary to take the Banff Baths. It is right next door to the bath house. Rates \$21 a week, including board. Resident physician in attendance.

BEVAN ASHTON, D. O.,
MANAGER.

WHEAT POOL MANAGER

Chester M. Elliot of Calgary, for many years manager of the Grain Commission department of the U.G.G. has been appointed general manager of the Alberta Wheat Pool. Mr. Elliot is said to be an experienced and competent grain man and will assume his new duties as soon as the pool is actively in operation and in a position to receive wheat from its 25,000 or more members. It is said that the pool will be able to operate within a week or so.

LOCAL ITEMS

Mrs. Layman Eamor has been visiting with her brother in the north country.

School Inspector McGregor is this week officially employed in the town and district schools.

The constant teaming of grain to town has made the bad roads worse, and the nearer to town the worse they get. It is evidence of lots of business, but that does not help traffic.

Alberta, according to the last government agricultural report, has 400,000 dairy cows, valued at approximately \$19,500,000. The product of these cows last year was worth \$23,500,000, or \$4,000,000 more than their own value.

The attention of our readers is drawn to the advertising columns of this paper which contains price quotations of merchandise for sale at the various stores. Our grocery stores are to the front with attractive prices, while men's furnishing and hardware stores quote attractive prices. It will benefit the average householder to read the adverts in this paper and buy from those who have the enterprise to make known to you their prices.

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CITIZEN PASSES

Noble Lawrence of Vulcan Dies at Calgary

Just a few months ago these columns announced the going of Mr. Noble Lawrence to Calgary to reside for a time with a daughter, and this week they record his demise. Deceased was well known to the people of this district, by all of whom he was held in high esteem. The following is from the Calgary Herald of October 10th: A real old-timer of Southern Alberta, and a pioneer of Canada, passed away on Tuesday, when Noble Lawrence, at the age of 79 years, died at his home in the Maryland subdivision near Ogden. The late Mr. Lawrence was born in Ireland, and came to this country when he was nine years of age. He lived at Flesherston, Ontario for more than 50 years, and for the last 19 years has lived in the Vulcan district. Besides his widow, he is survived by four daughters, Mrs. J. W. Patton, of Ogden; Mrs. A. H. Appleton of Galt, Ont.; Mrs. Fred Burnett of Morrin, Alta., and Miss Eva Lawrence of Vulcan; and four sons, William Lawrence of Chilliwack, B. C.; Edward Lawrence of Vulcan and Leslie Lawrence of Calgary.

SCHOOL REPORT

Standing of Pupils for Month of September

GRADE VIII—Olive Lingley, 77.6; Clifford Ogilvy, 74.3; Mayme Lebeau, 74; Mary Doyle, 71.6; Margaret McLeod, 71.2; Elma Elkins, 69.7; Glen Robbie, 69.5; Russell Robbie, 64.3; Phyllis Chisholm, 61.7; Hazel Carruthers, 61.1.

GRADE VII—LaVerna Vaughn, 92.3; Mable McDonald, 87.3; Eleanor Jenner, 85.3; Russell Collier, 84; Freeda Dunbar, 81.3; Allan Davenport, 81; Buford Walker, 78; Mildred Doyle, 77; Alice Eamor, 76; Frank Smith, 74; Grace McKie, 74; Willie Donaldson, 73; Robert Spooner, 69; Zora Green, 62.7; Dorothy Martin, 62.7; Annette Loiselley, 58.7; Absent, Ernest Graulien.

GRADE VI—Rosie Korczynski, 91; Willie Cunningham, 91; Isobel Flood, 89.3; Margaret Gardiner, 89.5; Barbara Howes, 89; Ailsa Charters, 87.3; George Donaldson, 85.3; Herbert Linley, 84.7; Mildred Gardiner, 82.7; Harland Schenck, 80.7; Arthur Cook, 78; Elwood Lebeau, 76.7; Helen Craig, 75; Georgie McKie, 74; Leslie Hanson, 74; Fred Gossett, 70; Jack Packwood and Jennie Loarz, absent.

GRADE V—Lawrence Doyle, 93; Leta Roe, 92; Norma Vanskiver, 91; Mabel McPherson, 87; Doyle Dunbar, 83; Dora McPherson, 82; Eugene Hanson, 81; Jessie Pickwood, 79; Edward Jamieson, 77; John Jacobson, 68; Leo Laiselle, 63; Chester Dewie, 46.

GRADE IV—Margaret Herdman, 96; Harriet Discher, 95; Helen Simington, 94; Sylvia Green, 93; James Russell, 92; Verna Russell, 90; Carlton Jones, 88; Alice Berringer, 87; Mabel Hanson, 86; Marion Flood, 86; Theron Vaughn, 86; Sylvia Seaman, 86; Dorothy Donaldson, 86; Billie Charters, 86; Bruce Vanskiver, 85; Katie Dewie, 83; Bertha Adams, 83; Irene Loiselley, 82; Muriel Nicholson, 82; Donald Carson, 81; Willie Walker, 78; Gertrude Martin, 77; Harold King, 76; Margaret Brown, 76; Lynetta Parslow, 76; Clarence Martin, 65; Elmer Shaw, 59; Robert Hunter, 57.

GRADE III—Lorraine McAlpine, Douglas Brunton, Florence Getty, Bobby Doyle, Elmer Ross, Berman Russell, Arlo Jurney, Clarence Loiselley, Arlene Wallace, Albert Collier, Florence Eamor, Mabel Robinson, John Dewie.

GRADE II—Edna McPherson, Allan Marshall, Jack Lebeau, Eddie Ober, Freeda Getty, LaVaun Gardner, Charlie Carson, Ernest Linley, Doris Simington, Ruth Grant, Marvel Dunbar, Et Eamor, Marie Dunbar, Evelyn Philip, Kathleen Nicholson, George Dewie, Ruby Collier, Helen Donaldson, Billie Wright, Earl Spear, Cecile Johnston, Winnie Flood, Eric Charters, Martha Adams, John Eamor, Alice Adams, Willie Horigan, William Loarz.

GRADE I, Sr.—Kathleen Cunningham, Harriett Simms, Raymond Jones, Earl Robinson, Eleanor Jones, Alberta Ober, Roy Carruthers, Carol Marshall.

GRADE I, Jr.—Betty Wright, Isabelle Loiselley, Alice Carruthers, Ethel Campbell, Gordon Elves, Lily Doyle and Gerald Simington, equal, Lekoy Loarz, Norman Griffin, Orton Dodds, Bill McNally, George Hill.

Mr. N. T. DeWitt is on a trip to Calgary this week.

If you have any news item drop us a line or phone us the information.

Mr. and Mrs. Harper, of Calgary, have been visitors in Vulcan, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lockhart.

Mr. W. F. Jennejohn, of the Motor Inn, has accepted the Vulcan and district agency for the Dodge automobiles.

E. P. RANCH

Vulcan Party Make Trip to Royal Ranch

The Advocate man was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Kehr on a picnic party to the Prince of Wales' ranch. The day was beautiful and the trip delightful. It was a pleasure and a satisfaction to visit the place which has been so much mentioned of late, and apart from the fact that it is owned by a mighty popular member of royalty, it is interesting because of its beauty, its buildings and the quality and variety of the stock that pasture on its acres and drink from a stream that gives them refreshment at their pleasure and contributes to making the ranch ideal. By the courtesy of Manager Carlyle members of the party were permitted to visit the barns and stables and, besides the other stock, to see the horse the Prince rode. Photos were taken of the stock and stables, and everything, and pictures were made of the party grouped on the plaza of the ranch residence of the future king. And there were carloads of others there doing the same thing.

The trip to and from the ranch was also interesting, the route being from Vulcan to Brant, thence to Blackie and High River, and a short stop made at each of these places. The roads for the most part were like lanes through fields of grain, and on the way some twenty two threshing outfits were counted.

A new elevator was noted at Blackie; the aerodrome at High River reminded us of the new rink at home, and the irrigation dam at the same place is the source of the water supply at the swimming hole in the Little Bow west of Vulcan.

Dinner was served on the roadside, beside a beautiful spring, and had the Prince been coming that way at the time he might have partaken of a meal that would have been a feature of his visit.

It is a very fine road west through Meadowbank, on to the Bar U ranch, famous for the extent of its range and number of its stock, particularly the Percheron horses. Here Mr. Fleming, a long time official of the ranch, directed us to the premises of the royal neighbor.

On the way back snap shots were taken of the Bar U, some of the horses, and of Mr. Lane's home and the Pekisko post office. The next object of interest was the South Fork trading post, a store kept by Mr. Harry Baines. There are perhaps none like it, and certainly his display of Indian relics and the work of Indians, including real scalps, guns, pipes, bead work and a thousand other things. One display that drew a question was the arms and equipment that was carried by Mr. Baines through the South African war. The Prince of Wales was several times a good customer at this store and like us, and more particularly the members of our party recently from the east, must have been interested in the group of Indians lounging about, the men smoking and leaning on barrels and boxes, and the squaws squatted on the store floor with the little ones playing about. This post is built of logs and with its Indian patrons and old-time features is perhaps the last of the old West.

The next place on the trip was Cayley, a small place, but as busy as the rest as a grain centre. The village has recently installed a system of street lighting, and the burg was brighter on this night than we had ever seen it before.

We stopped at Nanton for an hour or more, and everybody must have been at church that night, for people were coming in crowds from several directions, but a few we know were coming from the new swimming pool, which is operated every day, and it is said will be operated all winter.

The finish of the journey afforded the opportunity for a review of the things that had been seen that day, which had indeed been a great pleasure of again seeing the bright lights of Vulcan.

LOCAL ITEMS

Mrs. Melvor and little daughter, of Calgary, are visiting relatives at Vulcan.

Mr. E. J. Monds has purchased from W. L. Bucher the premises which he at present occupies as an implement warehouse.

Two new Union Jacks have recently been purchased by the school board and are now flying on the flag staffs at the two schools.

Rev. Wm. McNichol, M.A., of High River, will conduct service in the Union church next Sunday morning and evening. Special music by the choir. Everybody welcome.

Mrs. L. C. McKenney, ex-M.L.A., will address public meetings of the electors of Vulcan in the Union church, on Monday next, October 22nd, at three in the afternoon and eight at night.

MASONS MEET

District Meeting and Lodge of Instruction at Vulcan

One of the events of interest and importance which were not recorded in the last issue of the Advocate was the district meeting and lodge of instruction, of District No. 11, A.F. & A.M., held at Vulcan, on Tuesday, October 9th. Vulcan is fortunate in its location and the facilities it possesses, which make it the centre for assemblies of one kind and another, and all are made welcome by its citizens, and the visit of the members of the craft of District No. 11 is esteemed as an honor to the town and it was a pleasure to the citizens to greet the members of the fraternity. The importance of the event was augmented by the attendance of several Grand Lodge officers, including M. W. Bro. George Murray, grand master; M. W. Bro. S. Y. Taylor, grand secretary; M. W. Bro. S. J. Blair, past grand master; M. W. Bro. W. M. Connacher, past grand master; R. W. Bro. Thos. Sharpe, grand treasurer, and R. W. Bro. H. B. Fuller and George Orr, past district deputy grand masters.

The business sessions and lodge of instruction were of particular interest and importance, and the presiding officer was R. W. Bro. W. J. Clements, of Lomond. The program included instructive addresses and a demonstration of ritualistic work of the order.

The banquet at night was one feature of a very successful event, and the large number present made merry in a program of speech, song and story, which followed participation in a fine feast, splendidly spread and served in the basement dining room of the hall.

W. Bro. G. M. Carson, of Vulcan, was elected as district deputy grand master, and Carmangay was selected as the place of meeting next year.

LOCAL ITEMS

The regular meeting of the board of managers of the Union church was held at the Bank of Commerce on Monday night. Miss Pickard was appointed organist, Miss Norton teacher of the junior choir, and W. E. Butchart leader of the senior choir.

Dr. G. M. Carson, physician and all-around good citizen, who plays football and does his bit in every way to boost his community, brings a new honor to himself and to Vulcan by his recent election as District Deputy Grand Master of District No. 11, A.F. & A.M.

Miss Florence Eamor was eight years old on Tuesday and had a birthday party on that day, and with about thirty of her girl friends right joyously celebrated the event. There was everything that goes to make a party, including the birthday cake, on which were eight lighted candles. The little folks sure had great fun.

The sum of forty-two dollars was realized for skating rink purposes from the picture of "Penrod" recently presented under the auspices of the Dramatic society. The public got a real picture at no extra cost, the theatre man did not lose, and the rink will be the better to the extent of this amount. The society desires to raise in this way at least a hundred dollars, and are arranging for another picture.

Members of the Women's Institute, always ready to help along a good thing, served afternoon tea on Saturday last and sold beans, doughnuts and pies, to a big bunch of willing buyers and the proceeds will net something like forty dollars, which amount will be contributed to the fund for skating rink equipment. This is fine, and by the time the rink is finished these little enterprises will likely have furnished the funds for the fixings required.

Mr. Ed Army, robust and jovial, has been laid low as the result of an accident, and indeed, it is said that it might have been more serious had it not been for the first aid rendered by an ex-soldier. One of his arms was badly mangled by being caught in the mechanism of a threshing machine, the muscles and flesh being literally stripped from the arm. Mr. Army was taken to the hospital at Calgary, going by train from Vulcan on Saturday night, and everybody here and in the district where he resides hopes that he might have quick recovery and no permanent injury.

The new skating rink at Lettbridge in the two months of operation last winter returned gross earnings of \$4500 making a splendid paying season. Hockey was the chief source of revenue. These facts will be interesting in Vulcan, where a fine new rink is in course of construction, and this suggests that there should be something doing along hockey lines as soon as possible, that is if we are going to have as good a hockey team as we are skating rink. Some of the boys are talking hockey, all right, and maybe one or two good new players are in sight, but soon we will have to get to business.

LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. H. J. Maher is a Calgary business visitor.

Mrs. Kennedy and Mrs. Forrester west of Vulcan, were Calgary visitors this week.

Mrs. Clyde Hall, a week or two ago attended the funeral of her brother at Claresholm.

Mrs. Elves of Cayley, is visiting in Vulcan, the guest of her sons, Messrs. R.L. and F.A. Elves.

The town fire truck has this week rendered excellent service in the country in extinguishing fire in the fields of grain.

The Ladies Aid of the Union Church are serving a Thanksgiving turkey supper, on Saturday, November 10th, from five to eight o'clock. Keep this in mind.

A horse belonging to Mr. Vic Du-teau, one of a string hauling grain to Vulcan, dropped dead on the road. The crops this year are big enough to kill anything.

The ladies of the Catholic church will hold their annual chicken supper at the Odd Fellows' Hall, on Saturday, November 3rd, from 5:30 to 8 o'clock. Admission 75c.

The work on the improvement of the Electric light lines continues, and though in a few instances the light has once or twice been slow in coming on, it was all for the ultimate better service.

Architect Macdonald, of Calgary, was in town on Tuesday, his business being to give the work on the new rink the once over. Everything looked good to him, as it does to everybody else.

Mr. Ralph Jessup of The Nanton News, who is returning officer in the Nanton electoral division for the liquor referendum, was in town on Saturday, and made a call at The Advocate office.

Mr. W. G. Bishop, who has been giving time and attention to harvesting on his property in this district, left on Wednesday night for his home in Greenville, Ill., in response to a telegram announcing the serious illness of his son.

Business is just now particularly good at the Imperial hotel, and every night for weeks this "home away from home" has been crowded to capacity, a fact that pleases all Vulcan, for this town appreciates the advantage of a good public house.

The first payment of three thousand dollars will be made this week on the new skating rink, and the best of it is the council has the money, and sufficient to pay the whole thing, the debentures having been purchased entirely by our own people.

Mr. Paul Wittcock has purchased from Mr. Jacobson the house and premises which he has so long occupied. It is a desirable property on a splendid street, and the new owner will keep it up to the standard which has made this street and other residential sections so attractive.

The Teachers Institute, which is really a district convention, will be held in Vulcan this year on November 1st and 2nd. This assembly quite a number of teachers and is an important event and one that is recognized by Vulcan as such. Teachers, like everybody else, are pleased to come to Vulcan.

The Advocate was represented by Harry Nelson at a conference of Southern Alberta weekly newspaper men at Calgary on Monday. There were more than twenty present, and they had a profitable time discussing trade business and a pleasant hour dining at the Palliser.

"Dooley" Ober and D. C. Jones, the original wireless wizards of Vulcan, motored over to High River on Tuesday to discuss radio with Mayor Beddingfield. They talked transmission and reception, ether, wave lengths, and a hundred other things that pertain to this mysterious business.

The world baseball series is over and the Yankees are champions. The radio at the D. C. Jones drug store, and Billy Recor with a diamond on the wall and a bunch of rings, demonstrated the games to a lot of fans every afternoon. Both teams in the contest had plenty of backers, and we don't know but that a few bucks changed hands. Radio is a great thing and it is great to have it in Vulcan, a fact that is surely appreciated by the fans.

Mr. J. A. Lindsey has been appointed enumerator for the Vulcan subdivisions of the electoral district of Little Bow, and his duty will be to compile the list of voters entitled to vote at Vulcan. It might be well to mention that it would be well for all who are entitled to vote and desire to do so, to see to it that their names appear on the list of voters. This will apply not only to the sub-divisions named, but to every division in the province, for the government are desirous that a full expression of the public demand be made by ballot on this question of liquor control.

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of reaching the people than through the medium of the Classified Advt. Everybody reads them, for they are news to those who seek something and likewise news to those having something to sell. To get what you want, let everybody know thru the Want-ad column of The Advocate. Use the Want-ads more—for any purpose—and we are satisfied that you will be gratified by the results. If you have lost anything, just put in an ad.

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VULCAN, ALBERTA

THE COST OF SCHOOLBOOKS

The cost of schoolbooks is a drain on the domestic purse in many cases. The buying of schoolbooks is in a way a forced purchase, in that they are necessities of school life which have to be accepted with the cost met however much the inroads it makes into small and limited incomes. This may be called a domestic reason why the cost of schoolbooks should be reduced. It is a matter in which the heads of families have a direct interest. There are means by which the cost of schoolbooks may be reduced, which if brought into effect will be both to the personal and national advantage. This is referred to by the Montreal Herald in the campaign which it is conducting for reduction in the cost of schoolbooks in the Province of Quebec. By the means of standardizing schoolbooks the cost can be materially reduced. By this means, as the Montreal Herald has urged, a broad, national and patriotic sentiment might be aroused in the youth of the country. There is a good deal of truth in this. By such standardizing there will be the tendency to remove anything of provincialism in the mind of youth, broadening it into thinking nationally. As an argument for reducing the cost of schoolbooks this can be well advanced.—Petrolia Topic.

BRITISH GIRLS COMING

The Canadian government jarred London this week. Miss Edith Durham, a Canadian agent, opened an office in Pall Mall and advertised for English girls who desired to go to Canada as "domestic helpers," a diplomatic phrase for "servant girls." The response was staggering. The office was stormed by thousands of girls. All day long a continuous line of girls blocked the sidewalk in front of the office. Applicants were frankly told that the work would be mostly on farms and would be hard, but that did not discourage them. Passages would be paid for all agreeing to sign up for at least a year. It may be that the lure of matrimony has something to do with the rush. Many of the girls asked about the prospects of getting husbands in Canada. They were told the prospects were excellent.

LOOK INTO THIS

There appears to be a misunderstanding on the part of some of those interested in view of the latitude which has been allowed by the department of municipal affairs and certain municipalities in connection with the transfer of title of lands against which caveat was filed in 1922 for the non-payment of taxes. An extension of time in such cases may be allowed as the matter is purely in the hands of the department or municipality concerned. Lands that were sold at a tax sale in 1921 must be redeemed prior to the first day of November next or the tax sale purchaser will be entitled to a final transfer. Under the existing act no further extension of time is possible in the case of land sold to a third party for taxes and it is very urgent that all those concerned should immediately consult with their respective secretaries.

Efforts are being made here and at other western points to retain as many as possible of the British workers who came over to help harvest the 1923 crop. However only those will be kept for whom there is work or who can be helped to settle on the land. The newcomers are of an unusually high type and it is believed that they will make the very best kind of settlers.

EDITORIAL PARAGRAPHS

(Kincardine Review)

Punctuality is the thing. Be on time. See what happened the Grand Trunk.

Kincardineman says the world is getting better. His lawn mower has been returned.

Correct this sentence: "And the director himself admitted that he knew things were not exactly right."

Some Irish Republicans in New York do not approve of the free state and consequently they are in jail.

Irish Republicans in New York created a hostile demonstration against Lloyd-George. No wonder. He helped deprive them of a grievance.

Before inviting people from other countries to come here the government should try to ascertain the genesis of the exodus in such numbers to the United States.

Some time in the future we may read advertisements after this style: WANTED—Man to act as director of a bank. No references required. 'bail furnished when necessary.

President Coolidge says the Americans are individualistic and nationalistic. Post-war problems would have been more easily and readily solved if one of his predecessors had thought so too.

Rev. S. J. Farmer expects another plebiscite and fears that government control of liquor will result. What have we now but government control (plus medical prescription) of the sale of legitimate liquor and no adequate control at all of the illegitimate sale and consumption of illicit spirits?

D. R. McPhail talking of early days in Tiverton related a story of an Irish man who was taking a mixed drink of some sort when a friend said to him "That's a poor decoction for an Irishman". The reply was "I'm not Irish. I was born two months after I came to Canada."

Home Bank depositors are asking the government to recoup them but that cannot be done unless claims of Farmer's Bank depositors are first recognized. There was nothing irregular about the issue of a charter to the Home Bank. The same cannot be said about the Farmer's Bank charter.

Premier King is going to London this month and faith there is no job he likes better.

It cannot be denied at any rate that people who make a run on the bank are having a run for their money.

There's nothing Bolshevistic about the Scotch and yet one hears so many people talking nowadays about the Mackintosh Reds.

It wouldn't surprise us in the least to hear from the Pekisko correspondent of the High River Times that "Edie Windsor is again in our midst."

Despatches from Washington show that in the United States divorces are increasing and marriages falling off. But that can't keep on indefinitely, don't you know.

Some of his Alberta neighbors purpose inviting the Prince to a real old time poker party with the deuces wild. Don't do it. Give the Prince a run for his money.

What many automobiles need is not four-wheel brakes, but fore-sighted drivers.—Omaha Bee.

All men are born free and equal, but some of them grow up and get married.—Nashville Tennessean.

The average man now lives thirty one years longer than he did in 1800. He has to in order to get his taxes paid.—Athens (Ga.) News.

Drug Store Threshing Supplies

Motor Ether,
Wrist Straps, Goggles,
Time Books,
Memo Books,
Pipes, Tobaccos,
Cigarettes,
Badges,
Medicated Adhesive
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VULCAN ALBERTA

MURINE
NIGHT & MORNING
KEEP YOUR EYES
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WAGE CASE HEARD

A wage case of some interest was heard before H. H. Wilson, J. P. at Blackie last week. Joe Miles engaged Wm. Godfrey to run his threshing engine. The amount of wages was not stipulated according to the evidence given. Mr. Miles appears to have promised to simply do the right thing and Godfrey agreed to meet him half way. For thirteen days Godfrey worked after which he quit of his own accord and demanded \$8.00 per day. Mr. Miles refused to pay that amount and proffered \$6.00 per day which amount was refused and Godfrey laid a complaint under the Master and Servants Act for the amount of \$104. Considerable evidence was heard, and Mr. Wilson endeavored time and again to find out if any set amount had been arranged upon but evidently no arrangements had been made except as above stated he therefore applied the expression of Godfrey to meet him half way and gave his decision in favor of plaintiff for \$7 per day and costs.

OBITUARY

The death took place October 13, at home in Blackie of Mrs. J. H. Bucher, at the age of 68 years, after an illness extending over a year and a half, when she met with a mishap in falling and injuring her hip. The deceased was born in Monroe County, Ohio, in the year 1855, and was married in 1877, and came to Blackie with her husband and family in 1911 where she has lived continuously. The deceased was a sufferer for the past 15 years from rheumatism, which affliction she bore with Christian fortitude. The funeral took place on Monday from the family residence, interment being made in the Blackie cemetery. Rev. Fawcett conducted the services. A husband, three sons, Walter of Spokane, Warren of Okotoks, Jay of Blackie, and two daughters, Mrs. Dorrett and Mrs. W. Wakeford of Blackie, survive to mourn the loss of a loving wife and mother.

(a) PROHIBITION—Meaning thereby a continuance and development of the present liquor legislation; that is, meaning the abolition of the sale of all liquors excepting for strictly medicinal, sacramental, manufacturing and scientific purposes.

(b) LICENSED SALE OF BEER—Meaning thereby the sale of beer in licensed hotels and other premises as provided in the proposed Temperance Act.

(c) GOVERNMENT SALE OF BEER—meaning thereby the sale of beer by or through government vendors for consumption in private residences under government control and regulation, other liquors to be sold through doctors' prescription for medicinal purposes.

(d) GOVERNMENT SALE OF ALL LIQUORS—Meaning thereby the sale of all liquors by or through government vendors, beer to be consumed on licensed premises and in private residences; wines and spirits to be purchased in limited quantities under permit issued by the government, under governmental control and regulation.

DO NOT MARK YOUR PREFERENCE on this ballot with an "X".
VOTE "1" FOR CLAUSE "D" GOVERNMENT SALE AND CONTROL OF ALL LIQUOR.

VOTE "2" FOR "B" as it approves of the sale of beer on licensed premises under government control.

VOTE "3" for Clause "C" as it approves of the sale of beer for beverage purposes.

Your vote will seriously affect conditions in Alberta: it will restore respect for law and order and reduce expenses of law administration.

If "A" carries it will increase taxation to support stool pigeons and the profits from the sale of liquor for beverage purposes will continue to enrich the BOOT-LEGGING FRATERNITY.

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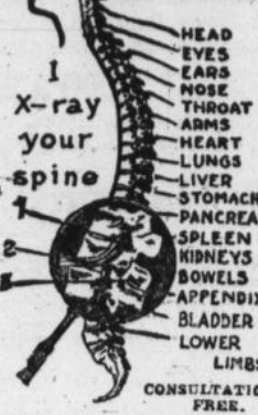
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UNOCCUPIED LANDS

It may be interesting to know that over 70,000,000 acres of Crown lands in western Canada have been disposed of directly for settlement purposes. One of the big factors in the development of the prairie provinces has been the free homestead policy, and the prospects of obtaining, subject to easy conditions, lands, the value of which in older established countries would be beyond their purchasing ability, was the magnet which drew men from all over the world to people the west. At present, however, most of the land in proximity to railway-lines has been alienated from the Crown and in the greater part of the west a free homestead within easy reach of a railway can no longer be held as a major inducement to the intending settler. There are, however, intermingled with the settled sections a large number of privately owned unoccupied farms convenient to railways and which are not only idle but block the way of continuous settlement. While most of these lands are available for purchase at reasonable prices, yet the ordinary individual has no easy means of finding out where such lands are located or how he can get in touch with the owner should he wish to purchase a particular parcel. In order to overcome this difficulty and with a view to the utilization and development of our idle land resources, the department of the interior, through its natural resources intelligence service, has done a good deal of work in making such information available. This year it has, with the co-operation of provincial and municipal officials, made a survey of the unoccupied and uncultivated lands in western Canada and its fourth edition of lists of "Unoccupied lands for sale" in the Prairie provinces is now available. They consist of a series of twenty-four booklets covering different districts and give useful particulars respecting the different parcels of land, including price, terms of sale or lease and the owners' names and addresses, thus affording the prospective landseeker a wide choice as well as an easy means of getting directly in touch with those who have idle lands for sale. The list covering any particular district may be obtained free on application to the Natural Resources Intelligence Service, Department of the Interior, Ottawa.

PRICES AND WAGES

The effect of high wages on prices has been impressed on the public of the country by the coal strikes and the settlements made by arbitration boards. The effect on railway rates and farm values is suggested in the following from the Farmers' Sun:

"A carload of hay was sold in Toronto the other day for \$80, but the shipper only realized \$25. Of the balance, \$10 was for commission and \$51 went for railway charges—\$1 being for switching, \$2 for demurrage and \$48 for freight. The farmer who owned the land and harvested and baled the hay, received less than one dollar for every two dollars received by the railway, which merely hauled it to Toronto in a car forming part of a train that has been made up of anywhere from ten to twenty cars.

"Railway" in this case is a misleading term. It really means wages of anywhere from two to three or four thousand dollars to the trainmen who operate this system of transportation. The wage of the average trainman is not far short of the average gross income from a hundred acre farm, and from which gross income provision must be made up or interest on investment and wages, not for the farmer alone, but for such help as his family is able to provide as well. So long as that condition exists, so long will we have examples such as that presented by \$25 for the producer of a carload of hay and \$51 for delivering it by rail at point of sale."

ONE CROP PAID LAND

Wonderful stories are coming out from Vulcan these days. Vulcan has one of the greatest crops in its history and some enormous yields are being recorded although threshing is no more than half finished, according to information gathered from Vulcan by the Lethbridge Herald. "We'll be threshing till Christmas," the Herald's Vulcan representative said. "The crops around town have been threshed out and the rigs are now moving north toward the Buffalo Hill country, where there is a wilderness of stooks." To pay for a farm with a single crop is the experience of one Vulcan farmer, James Leverington. This spring Mr. Leverington bought half a section of land, half a mile west of town, for \$4,700 cash. Two hundred acres of summerfallow were seeded to wheat. He threshed 10,500 bushels of No. 1 wheat. He paid for his land and took care of his operating expenses, and had a tidy sum left over. Another story, unconfirmed, says that a Vulcan man bought machinery and after marketing a 280-acre farm with horses and his crop, paid for his land, set aside wages for himself and his son and put about \$6,000 in the bank. How is that for negotiating a shrewd deal?

Notice Corrected—I did not leave my husband's bed and board, as it belonged to me and I took it with me and I took it with me and worked and kept myself. Mrs. B.S. —Item in the Carlisle (Pa.) Evening Sentinel.

ANNUAL GRAIN SHOW

The International hay and grain show which is held annually in conjunction with the International Livestock Exhibition, is perhaps the largest show of this kind, at least the largest in America. Western Canada but more particularly Alberta, produces the finest quality of seed grain on the continent. To substantiate this statement, one has to look up the record of past awards at this show, to find the names of many Alberta growers. The department of agriculture has divided the province into three divisions for the convenience of the growers, with Claresholm school of agriculture to serve as a collecting depot for exhibits in the southern part of the province, while the University of Alberta and Olds school will function for the central and northern part. The exhibition is held from Dec. 1 to Dec. 8, but all entries must be made by mail and be in the hands of the Superintendent of Entries, Hay and Grain Show, Chicago, U.S.A., while exhibits must reach the grounds not later than Monday, Nov. 26th. No entry fee is charged, but exhibitors are only allowed to enter one sample in any class, but he may enter in as many classes as he may desire. While the greatest care is necessary in selecting and cleaning and picking a sample for exhibition, scouring, bleaching or clipping so that the endosperm is exposed will disqualify a sample at the discretion of the judges. All exhibits of wheat, oats, barley, rye, field peas and field beans must consist of one peck, while of clovers and alfalfa only four quarts will be required. All samples must be named. All exhibits should reach the Claresholm school of agriculture not later than November 15th, to be reshipped to the exposition, while the entries should be sent direct. In shipping use double sacks to insure sample from damage or loss. From 25 to 35 prizes are offered in each class for grains—15 prizes for small seeds as well as trophies and ribbons as specials for each class. If any further information or prize lists are required, communicate with the School of Agriculture, Claresholm, Alberta.

AS OTHERS SEE US

Canadians generally will appreciate the following Editorial which was published in "The Referee", America's Financial and Sporting authority which we believe accurately expresses the true sentiments of financiers and gentlemen sportsmen in the United States:

"While we realize that the people of Canada would not regard exaggerated flattery in the light of a compliment we believe we remain within the confines of simple truth when we remark that no nation in history has met the financial demands of war with greater good spirit and carried the financial burdens with greater intelligence than the vast Dominion that tops the North American continent. Ten years ago Canada's debt was less than \$350,000,000. On January 1, 1923, it was \$2,516,929,000, over two billion dollars added by the war. Were it not for the fact that the bulk of this colossal debt is owed within the Dominion, Canadians themselves owning bonds to the extent of \$1,969,995,000, the interest payments would doubtless drain the country dry, reduce the exchange value of the Canadian dollar to a ruinous figure and plunge Canadian finance and business into a chaotic condition. As it is, the semi-annual interest payments go into hundreds of thousands of Canadian homes, and provide money for the payment of the Federal taxes from which the interest payments are drawn. At the time, Canada might have met the enormous demands of the war by borrowing from New York, but wisdom, as well as the patriotism, in resisting the temptation and instead placing the burden immediately upon the shoulders of her own people is now apparent. With a few weeks \$172,000,000 of Dominion Government bonds will fall due. With the same spirit and intelligence, the Government is again co-operating with bankers and brokers to keep the debt in Canada. The prospect that practically the entire amount will be replaced by money advanced by Canadian investors is pleasing to the friends of plucky Canada the world over."

In order to handle the grain of Fort William this fall the force of 160 elevators men will be increased to 700. From 120 to 150 grain-trimmers will be employed.

New Lamp Burns 94% Air

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A new oil lamp that gives an amazingly brilliant, soft, white light, even better than gas or electricity, has been tested by the U. S. Government and 35 leading universities and found to be superior to 10 ordinary oil lamps. It burns without odor, smoke or noise—no pumping up, is simple, clean safe. Burns 94% air and 6% common kerosene (coal oil).

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"A Mass of Sores—No Sleep—Unhappy Days"

Writes Mrs. Orange Haines of Danville, Quebec, R. C. 2, 21st Dec. 1922: "I was troubled with a mass of sores on my face and neck until the first of May. Then I got a bottle of D. D. D. AT ONCE MY FACE GOT BETTER. I used half a bottle only and have been entirely well ever since."

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ITEMS OF INTEREST

From the Lesser Slave Lake, north of Edmonton, this season, fifty cars of fish were shipped to various points in the U.S.

Lloyd-George has met with a great reception in America. He was obliged to cut down some of his engagements owing to fatigue.

Marquis wheat threshed on the Claresholm School of Agriculture Farm averaged 63 bushels per acre and Banner oats averaged 145 bushels per acre, conquered foe bow smilingly before it.

Some one was asked recently what he thought of Firpo, and the answer was: "None of these new-fangled, breakfast foods for me. I allus eats bacon and eggs."

Although usually regarded chiefly as an agricultural province, Alberta is making excellent strides in her manufacturing activities. No less than \$60,000,000 is now officially reported as being invested in this way in the province; while, for the last year reported, the value of products was placed at \$98,244,000.

A commercial traveller by the name of E. S. Bishop was in the Pass last week and was in the uncomfortable position of being looked upon by almost everyone as the commissioner of the now very much famous Alberta Liquor Act. Much as the fellow longed for a drink, no one would venture to offer him one.—Blairmore Enterprise.

Increased employment was reported by the office of the employment service of Canada during July, 1923, due to the active demands for agricultural workers in the West and for outdoor construction laborers in all districts. Compared with the same month in 1922, a marked improvement was shown in the number of vacancies offered and placements made.

Dan McNeill, a delegate to the miners' convention at Calgary from near Edmonton, committed suicide on October 17th, by throwing himself in front of a street car on Eighth avenue. He was walking with P.M. Christophers, M.L.A., and dashed from the sidewalk in front of the moving car. Deceased was 30 years of age and married.

Alberta is recording some good yields of corn this season. G. G. Scott, a farmer at Millet, near Edmonton, reports that he seeded four acres with Red Dent and Gehu, and secured 16 tons of silage to the acre, and expects a yield of 60 bushels to the acre from the corn. In the Taber district, on the irrigated lands, a number of farmers have grown corn with much success this year, it is reported.

With low priced farm lands and heavy yields of grain, in Alberta this year, some farmers have been able to accomplish wonders in the way of financing their farms. Williams Bros. of Consort, purchased a farm in the fall of 1921, which they prepared for crop last year and seeded to wheat this year. They report that the crop they have taken off this fall has paid the expenses and the purchase price of the land in addition.

Seed growers of Alberta who plan to exhibit seed at the Chicago international hay and grain show in December should lose no time in getting in their entries, as these must be in Chicago by November 10. The exhibits must be forwarded to the clearing points at Claresholm school of agriculture, Olds school of agriculture, or the University of Alberta. Here they will be sorted and forwarded to Chicago, the provincial government paying the freight from the assembling point. Sixty-eight cases of poppies, containing one hundred and thirty thousand poppies, have now reached the Poppy Day headquarters for the Province of Alberta and the staff has been increased in order that all orders for poppies are met without delay. While most of the towns in the province are already booked up, it is the earnest desire of the officials to have every town large or small, supplied with poppies in order that the citizens may wear this emblem of reverence to our fallen soldiers who fell in the great cause of humanity. "The citizen" of Ottawa, quotes Lloyd-George when speaking at Montreal recently upon the work done by the Canadians in the guerrilla warfare as saying "The Maple Leaf was embroidered forever on the silken folds of the banner of Human Liberty". Are we going to pay a tribute to these men who gave their all? Has our town taken steps to ensure a supply of these poppies? Surely there is some organization, friendly society, church body, in our town interested in this Poppy Campaign. If so, they should get in touch with the Provincial Secretary, G.W.V.A., Calgary, immediately and make known their requirements.

AUCTION SALE

The Owner, having decided to give up farming, has authorized the sale of the following mentioned Stock, Implements, Furniture, Etc., by Auction at S. E. Qr. Section 34-15-25-4, Alston District Seven Miles South and four miles west of Vulcan, and seven miles West of Kirkcaldy.

Thursday, October 25th

HORSES, CATTLE, PIGS AND POULTRY

Team Mares, brown and bay, aged 10 years, 2900 lbs., good leaders; Sorrel gelding, 6 years, 1500 lbs.; Grey Mare, 7 years, 1400 lbs.; Grey Gelding, 4 years, 1300 lbs.; Bay Mare, 10 years, 1200 lbs.; Black Mare, 5 years, 1200 lbs.; Bay Mare, 5 years, 1150 lbs.; Child's Sorrel saddle pony, gentle; Holstein Cow, 6 years; Holstein Cow, 4 years; Two Holstein Cows, 3 years; Durham Cow, 8 years; Durham Cow, 6 years, three Spring calves. The cows are giving a good flow of milk at present time and will freshen in March. Nine head Shoats, 165 lbs. each; Fifty head Pure Bred Barred Rock Chickens; Twenty-two Geese.

HARNESS AND IMPLEMENTS

Two sets Breeching Harness, two sets Lead Harness, set Single Harness, Stock Saddle, ten horse Collars; Bain Wagon, 3 1/2, triple box; Hamilton Wagon, 3 1/2, triple box; Deering Binder, 8 foot, with flax attachment; Emerson Gang plow, 14 inch; Emerson sulky Breaker, 14 inch; Drag Harrow, 4-Section; 17 single Disc Van Drum Drill; Buggy; Renfrew Cream Separator, 400-lb. capacity; Oil Drum, 40 gallon; Wheelbarrow, Grindstone, Complete set Blacksmith tools—175-lb anvil, forge, vice, drills, tongs, wrenches, etc.; two Cream Cans, 5 gallon; Child's Wagon; Forks, Shovels and many small articles.

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Probably in no other year in its history has tourist travel to Alberta been as heavy as this year, and an even heavier year is anticipated for 1924. The Canadian Pacific Railway reports the number of settlers was 2,692, more than 50% of whom were farmers. The capacity of the country to absorb immigrants is very marked, for at the date of the last report only 221 of the British harvesters failed to get employment owing to unfitness, disinclination or other reason.



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BERRYWATER NEWS

The usual monthly meeting of the Berrywater U.F.W.A. was held at the home of Mrs. Amey on October 10th, several members being present. In the absence of the president, Mrs. W. Oldfield, Mrs. Amey, vice-pres., presided. The secretary, Mrs. Mills, and Mrs. J. Baden read papers on prohibition. A general discussion followed, during which it was very interesting to hear the views of those present, the majority being strongly in favor of prohibition on the principle that it is up to the strong to help the weak. The date of the annual fowl supper and dance in Berrywater school was fixed for November 30, when everyone will be welcome.

REID HILL NEWS

Mr. Ed Arney has had the misfortune to meet with a painful accident while working around the engine of the threshing machine the other day. His foot slipped and he became entangled in the machinery, sustaining injuries to the right arm and other parts of the body. He is being removed to Calgary for medical attention there. It is hoped that the infection may be stopped and the arm saved.

Much sympathy is felt for Mrs. Arney in her anxiety, she having recently been bereaved of her father, her little daughter also having lately been badly scalded by boiling milk over her leg. It would seem that to some of us troubles never come singly.

Pastor and Mrs. J.H. Faulkner were visitors to Calgary attending the annual district meetings of the Baptist churches of Calgary district, Oct. 17th. Mrs. McKinney is expected to hold a big meeting in Reid Hill church on Tuesday, 23rd, on the prohibition question. A large crowd is expected out. Moderationists are especially invited. Mrs. McKinney goes to Milo on Wednesday, 24th, where a crowded assembly is expected.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Geraint Clifford was unfortunate enough to get poison in his hands, necessitating a trip to town and medical attention with a slight operation. By now the little invalid is practically recovered.

Mrs. Woolers, who owns property in the district is here looking after her interests.

EASTWAY NEWS

A quilting party was held on the regular meeting day, Oct. 11th, at the home of Mrs. M. P. Marshall, when a good majority of members were present, and the excellent hot lunch provided by the kind hostess was much appreciated by all. During the afternoon a short general meeting was held. After the creed was recited the minutes of last meeting were read and adopted. It was arranged that five dollars of the money paid in for quilt tickets be sent to the constituency fund and that ten dollars be voted to pay Mrs. Amey's expenses when attending the convention in Carmanagay on Oct. 17th. A discussion then followed as to what kind of an entertainment to hold in November. It was decided to have a fowl supper and dance on November 16th. Members are asked to attend a general meeting to be held at one of the schools on a Sunday, date not fixed, to discuss the prohibition question. A hearty vote of thanks was given to the hostess and her helpers. Moved by Mrs. Ryan and seconded by Miss Marshall that the meeting adjourn.

Mrs. Ward Dick and son are at present visiting her sister, Mrs. M. P. Marshall.

Mrs. H. Amey entertained the U.F.W.A. on Wednesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams of Calgary are the guests of Mrs. Chester Clark.

RED CROSS

We are sorry to report the death of Mrs. M. Ward, after a brief illness. The sympathy of the community goes out to Mr. Ward and little family in their sore bereavement. The funeral was held on Tuesday. The burial was made in Vulcan cemetery.

While the morning train was proceeding from Calgary to Vulcan, it started a fire on the farm of Mr. Ed Carruthers, burning several straw stacks, crossing the field to Mr. Ed Kehrs, where it burned about thirty acres of stooked wheat before it was got under control. The Vulcan fire brigade was called out, and rendered valuable assistance.

Miss Cora Hamilton and brother from Neepawa are visiting with their uncle, Mr. Joseph Richardson.

Mrs. McKinney will speak on prohibition at the Union church in Vulcan on October 22nd. The farmers are very busy but it is hoped that many will turn out to hear this talented lady speak on this important subject.

Miss Edith Love spent last week with friends in Calgary.

Mrs. Earl Wenger and baby Ruth of Calgary spent last week with Mrs. A. J. Clayton. Arthur Clayton returned with them to spend the week end.

Mrs. Jones of Calgary was the guest of Mrs. Sam Nafziger for the past week.

The first meeting of the W. I. after the busy season met at the home of Mrs. Peterson. Four members and five visitors were present, with Miss Davis in the chair. Mrs. Shaw acted as secretary in the absence of Mrs. McRea. Mrs. Stager donated material for a bed spread, which will be made and raffled, to secure money for bazaar work. Mrs. H. C. Doane was appointed delegate to the conference to be held at Carmanagay on October 17th. The next meeting will be held Oct. 31, at Mrs. J. Love's.

Rev. Mr. Brunton preached at Red Cross last Sunday, October 14, and will not preach again till the first Sunday in November.

Glad to report that Mrs. Lars Hanson is still improving in health and is able to be around again.

Elderdowns are very expensive, but some are cheap at any price, for instance when a Ford car stops, try a down—for solid comfort and you will not mind sitting out in the cold. (Eh, Jimmy?) But the old faithful horse Barney is still on the job.

BRANT NEWS

Mass was held in the Catholic church Sunday, October 14.

The Women's Institute held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. D. Burwash.

The children of this district who were ill with scarlet fever are getting along nicely.

Misses Mable and Louise St. Clair were Thursday afternoon visitors with Miss Grace Cascarden.

Mrs. Cyte Bechtie was an afternoon tea guest at the home of Mrs. L. J. St. Clair on Friday, October 12.

Mr. and Mrs. MacNeil motored to Granum Sunday, taking Mrs. MacNeil's mother, Mrs. Blair home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Holden and children motored to Calgary to spend Sunday with their older daughter.

Rev. Mr. Garrett of the bible society of Calgary filled the pulpit at the Brant church, Sunday, October 14.

The flapper girls are fast going out of date and the old maids with false teeth are getting more popular every day.

Mr. Gene Grey, who has spent the past year in the Rocky Mountain House district, returned to Brant Friday morning.

The largest day's shipment of wheat this season was made on September nineteenth, when 1,297,000 bushels of wheat went out of Fort William on nine vessels, including the big American carrier, C. O. Jenkins, with 345,000 bushels.

Mr. John Eversman spent Sunday with Mrs. Eversman in Calgary. He motored up Sunday morning and returned that evening.

Miss Wanda Hazelwood and little sister Marguerite, stopped off on their way to Vulcan to visit their father. They were the guests of Mrs. Ira Olson.

Miss Ora Carroll of Los Angeles, Cal., who has been visiting her brother Henry for the past month, spent Tuesday Afternoon visiting Mrs. L. J. St. Clair and daughters.

Mr. Donald McDonald, who resides southwest of Brant had the misfortune to have about eleven hundred bushels of wheat burned. The fire started in the blower of the separator.

Mrs. Louise Jackson, the farmerette of the Brant and Ensign districts, will have the credit of raising what we have understood to be one of the best crops in this district. One piece of Mrs. Jackson's summer fallowed wheat made sixty-four and three-quarter bushels to the acre. That is a wonderful yield and as we have said before, leave it to a woman to manage a farm and home.

BRANT HOLD-UP

Covering 30 card players with revolvers in the back room of the City cafe at Brant, Alberta, after sending three bullets crashing through the wood-work above their heads as a warning not to resist, two masked and armed men succeeded in getting away with \$800 in cash and a small amount of jewelry at 3:30 Sunday morning. The robbers swept the money off the card tables, and then one by one the players were forced to empty their pockets. When the last bill had been collected, the hold-up men fired another two shots through the floor, warned their victims not to give the alarm under penalty of being shot, then escaped in a waiting automobile.

When police officers arrived from High River two hours later the robbers had vanished into the country and no trace of them has been found.

Although the holdup was carried out at 3:30 o'clock, so impressed were the victims of the robbery with the cool and calm methods of the robbers that they did not telephone the High River detachment, 20 miles east, until 4:30 o'clock. When Constable Holton of High River arrived at 5:30 in response to the call, the robbers had succeeded in covering up their trail. The automobile which carried the robbers tore out of town at a high rate of speed, minus lights, and no two persons in the town could agree on what direction it had taken. Towns to the north and south were warned by telephone and the police authorities at Calgary and Lethbridge were also notified of the robbery.

A big card game was in progress when the robbers entered the building. Knowing that the nearest police detachment was 20 miles away and there was no chance of them being arrested for being in gaming houses, the card players did not even take the precaution to lock the door of the room. Five tables were in action and half a dozen men were standing around when suddenly two masked men appeared at the door of the room, with revolvers leveled.

"Hands up. Line up with your faces to the wall, boys, and the first man that makes a false move gets drilled," instructed one of the men. The man accompanied the remark by firing two shots into the woodwork above their heads and the falling plaster covered the clothes of the now thoroughly cowed card players. One by one the men lined up, faces to the wall and hands high in the air. While one of the robbers kept the men well covered the other swept the money from the card tables into a satchel he carried. When all the money had been collected the robbers began a methodical search of the clothing of the card players. One by one they were forced to turn out their pockets, and while this was going on the robber who had fired the shots repeatedly warned the men of the consequences of a false move.

When the thirty men had been "cleaned" of all the money that they possessed, one of the robbers fired two more shots into the floor, apparently as a signal to an accomplice outside. "You fellows had better not move out of here for a while, for if you do you might get shot," declared one of the robbers as they calmly walked out of the room and into a waiting automobile in the street below.

As soon as he had secured particulars of the robbery, Constable Holton notified Inspector William Brankley, in charge of the Calgary division of the A.P.P. and Detective J. R. Irvine was dispatched to the scene at once by automobile, to take charge of the case. The police are of the opinion that the robbery was committed by persons familiar with the town. The card game was in progress in the room above the City cafe, right in the heart of the town of Brant.

According to figures provided by the preliminary report on mineral production in Canada for the first six months of 1923, Alberta has produced in those six months a total of 3,312,997 tons of coal, compared with 2,258,296 in the same period of 1922.

It is estimated that one million tourists visited Vancouver in the course of the past summer season, remaining in the province an average of four days, and each spending an average of \$10.00 a day. In round figures 100,000 automobiles visited the province during the summer months.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Preparations are now being made to commence construction of the mill on dollar government storage elevator which is to be established at Edmonton, on the National railway line.

In long distance telephoning the speaker's lips should almost touch the transmitter. Every half inch the lips are away from the transmitter lessens the effectiveness of speech by about twenty miles.

Canada will harvest 470,329,000 bushels of wheat from the 1923 crop according to the latest estimate of the Dominion Government. The oat crop is fixed at 535,124,000 bushels, and that of barley 80,048,000 bushels.

The Canadian National Railways will build a hotel at Vancouver, costing between \$1,000,000 and \$1,500,000. Provinces are estimated as follows: Manitoba 34 million, Saskatchewan 268 million and Alberta 148 million.

Four fish companies operated on the Lesser Slave Lake during the past season. The operators were allotted, as their season's catch, one million and a half pounds of whitefish. A very heavy run has been reported and so large was the take that the fisheries officer in charge decided that over production would result and as a consequence, closed the lake from July 31 to August 6.

Canada's farthest north sawmill is operated by the Royal Canadian Mounted Police at Akavik, on the delta of the Mackenzie River. It was primarily purchased with the intention of squaring logs for new police posts in the Arctic, but lumber is also cut, and if the guardians of the north were to fill all the orders received, every Eskimo along the Arctic coast would be possible customers.

A. W. Dingman, pioneer in gas and oil drilling in southern Alberta, will try to develop a new field along the Highwood river, west of High River, and not very far from the Prince of Wales' E. P. ranch. Years ago, Mr. Dingman drilled for natural gas within the city limits of Calgary and got enough to furnish fuel to the Calgary Brewing Company and to light a number of the streets. In 1914 he drilled the Discovery well in the Dingman or Turner Valley field 45 miles south west of Calgary.

INTERPRET CLAUSE "D"

Premier Greenfield was interviewed by newspaper editors of Alberta this week regarding the coming vote on prohibition and he said the government wanted an expression of all the people in the liquor referendum on November 5th and that it did not want the voters to plump, but to express their opinions on the liquor question in order of their preference. It is up to the government to enlighten the electors as to its interpretation of the real meaning of Clause "D" and the newspapermen made a perfectly reasonable request. It is the duty of the government to let the voters know what the proposed clause actually mean.

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MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 23rd November, 1923, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed contract for a period not exceeding four years 6 times per week on the route Vulcan and Railway Station (Can. Pac.) from the Postmaster General's pleasure.

Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Vulcan and at the office of the District Superintendent of Postal Service. District Superintendent's Office, Calgary, 10th October, 1923.

D. A. BRUCE,
District Superintendent of Postal Service.

Classified Advertisements

WANTED

ADVERTISEMENTS—For this column at 50c. for the first time, and 25c. for each time afterwards.

CRIB AND TABLE—Advertiser desires to buy a baby crib, with or without mattress and a small library table. Phone 1108, Vulcan. Oct17c

ESTRAY

GELDING—One bay gelding, branded RS on left shoulder. Has been estray since April. Send information of whereabouts to the owner, E. Sharpe, High River P. O., or to The Advocate, Vulcan. Aug8fc

FOR RENT

LAND—Three quarters of section, to rent on half shares; 228 acres ready for crop. Sell going outfit on terms. Clyde Hall, Vulcan. Oct17cp

FOR SALE OR TRADE

VULCAN PROPERTY—Carpenter shop and one lot, on Railway Ave., Vulcan. Owner will exchange for automobile in good condition. Apply Owner, Taylor, Elma Block, Calgary. Phone M4097. Oct17fc

ENGINE—Runley Steam Engine, 30 horse power, carrying 175 lbs. pressure, in good condition. Will sell or trade. E. M. Hollister, Phone 2001, Vulcan. Aug15fc

FOR SALE

AUTO—Ford Car, in good shape, for sale at \$300. Apply at Phone Office, Armada. Oct17tp

HOUSE—Four-roomed House, with two lots in Vulcan. Will sell cheap for quick sale. Apply Mrs. M. E. Myers, Vulcan. Oct10cp

TOWN PROPERTY—Six-room House, with barn about 18x22, and well, on four acres, in town in south end. J. A. Gardner, Phone 31, Vulcan. Oct10fc

CAR AND TRACTOR—One 12-24 Case Tractor, also Overland Touring Car, 1916 model. Apply Canadian Bank of Commerce, Vulcan. Oct3fc

TOWN PROPERTY—Six-room House, with bath, on two lots; garage, well, and chicken house, trees and shrubs; a very desirable property. Price only \$2200, \$1800 cash and balance arranged. Store building 24x90, on the main street. Price \$1800 cash. Apply to W. L. Bucher, Vulcan. Oct3fc

FURNITURE—Several articles of House Furniture, in first class condition, to be disposed of by private sale. Articles may be seen at the home in Vulcan. Apply to Mrs. D. E. Geddes, Vulcan. Enquire at Post Office. Sep26tc

POTATOES—Good quality nearly Early Ohio Potatoes, excellent for table use. Orders solicited. Phone 3007, about 9 o'clock in the evening, or apply to P. C. Utt, Vulcan. Sep26fc

GRAMAPHONE—Columbia Mahogany Cabinet Gramophone, first class condition; also about three dozen selected records. Will sell at a bargain price. W. J. Wellington, Vulcan. Sep12fc

HOUSES—Two Houses in Vulcan, cheap for cash. Apply W. A. Howes, next to Club Billiard Hall. Sep5fc

LOST

DOG—Male Stock Dog, black and some brown, answers to name of "Collie". Reward for return of dog or information leading to recovery. Communicate with Frank Liebfried, Vulcan, or The Vulcan Advocate. Oct10cp

FOUND—Stag Hound, fairly shaggy hair, good average size, about two years old, dark brindle, white tip on tail and little white on each foot, answers to name of Pete. Reward for return of animal or information leading to recovery. J. L. Keir, Vulcan. Phone 505. Oct10fc

Ladies' Fall and Winter Coats

We are now showing some very special values in Heavy Plain and Fancy Tweeds, with and without Fur Collars. Many styles to choose from. Let us show you these Coats and prove that our prices and styles are right. The prices range from \$15 up.

Extra Special \$15

Four only Ladies' Coats, with Fur Collars, and Fancy Lining throughout, made of good quality all wool Velours. Special \$15.

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VULCAN

VOTE 1 FOR CLAUSE "D" (GOVERNMENT CONTROL) NOVEMBER 5th

The Legislature and not the Moderationists are responsible for the wording of Clause "D" and it is the Legislature that will have to interpret it. It is evident however that it was not intended to and will not mean the return of the bar system. The Government and the Legislature being a democratic body depend on the people of Alberta for their support and they recognise that the people of Alberta both Prohibitionists and Moderationists are against it and they would not dare to legislate in the face of popular opinion.

There are many ways in which the consumption of beer on licensed premises can be regulated without restoring the bar system and we may rest assured that it is one of these systems the Government will adopt rather than one which is objectionable to the people.

THE MODERATION LEAGUE OF ALBERTA

Applications are coming in thick and fast from seed growers of the province to have their registered seed handled through the provincial government seed plant at Edmonton this fall. To date more than 58 seed growers have sent in applications. It is anticipated that the plant will handle about six times as much grain this season as last.

We are not so sure that the low price of wheat troubles the average farmer as much as the price of gasoline.—Cleveland Times.

F. E. Lehr, manager of the Crown Lumber company at Innisfail, Alberta, was committed for trial before Police Magistrate Oldham at Innisfail, Monday morning on a charge of arson. Bail was fixed at \$10,000.

Fall Ready-to-Wear

For Ladies For Men

Northway Coats for Ladies, Plain and Fur Trimmed, made of the finest Cloths, \$19 to \$60.

Bromleigh Coats, made of a Heavy Reversible Cloth, for a dressy warm coat. Price \$24 and \$25.

Northway Cloth Dresses, in Tricotine, etc. Special \$10 to \$35.

Cloth Dresses, in Homespuns and nice Flannels. Some real snaps. Price \$8.75 to \$12.

Pure Linen Toweling, in natural color. Special 20c.

Boys' Overcoats, in the finest Cloth. Wool lined, \$10. Leather lined \$15.

Wool Blankets, the finest All Wool, heavy fluffy blanket, for home use, 7 lbs. Special \$9.00.

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Turkish Toweling, in nice dark style. Special 25c.

Sport Sweaters, for Ladies, in Fancy Colors. Special \$3.50 and \$4.00.

Ladies' Sport Hats, made of Fancy Cloths. Special \$2 to \$3.50.

Ladies' Underwear, in Watson's best, in all the latest styles of combinations and two-piece garments. This line is bound to please.

Men's Underwear, in Stansfield's and Tiger Brand. Tiger Brand Pure Wool Combinations, Special \$2.75 and \$3.75.

Men's Flannel Shirts—Extra value in this line.

Men's Sweaters, in Universal Pure Wool Coat, good weight. Special \$5.75.

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